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Sir:

Submitted herewith is a Response to an Office Action relating to the above-identified patent application. There is no additional claim fee due in connection with the Response.

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Respectfully submitted,

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In response to the outstanding Office Action, dated April 25, 2006, 25 Applicant submits the following remarks: